United States District Court

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NOTICE

TO: THE PUBLIC AND MEMBERS OF THE PRACTICING BAR FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2071(e) and Rule 83 of the *Federal Rules of Civil Procedure*, the United States District Court for the Southern District of Indiana hereby gives public notice of the following:

Certain Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Indiana were amended December 19, 2000, and such changes will be **effective January 1, 2001**. Unless otherwise indicated, as seen in this Notice redline text is added and struck text is deleted.

- a. Local Rule 53.2, Arbitration/Alternative Dispute Resolution, is deleted.
- b. Local Rule of Disciplinary Enforcement XI, Duties of Clerk, is renumbered XII.
- c. Local Rule of Disciplinary Enforcement X, Appointment of Counsel, is renumbered XI.
- d. Local Rule of Disciplinary Enforcement IX, Service of Papers and Other Notices, is renumbered X.
- e. Local Rule of Disciplinary Enforcement VIII, Attorneys Specially Admitted, is renumbered IX.
 - f. Local Rule of Disciplinary Enforcement VII, Reinstatement, is renumbered VIII.
- g. Local Rule of Disciplinary Enforcement VI, Disbarment on Consent While Under Disciplinary Investigation or Prosecution, is renumbered VII.

- h. Local Rule of Disciplinary Enforcement V, Disciplinary Proceedings, is renumbered VI.
- $i. \ \ Local \ Rule \ of \ Disciplinary \ Enforcement \ IV, Standards \ for \ Professional \ Conduct, \\ is \ renumbered \ V.$
 - j. The following Local Rule of Disciplinary Enforcement is adopted:

RULE IV. Administrative Suspension and Reinstatement.

An attorney admitted to practice before this Court who is suspended from the bar of the State of Indiana for

- A. nonpayment of the Annual Registration Fee required by Rule 23, Section 21, of the Indiana Rules for Admission to the Bar and the Discipline of Attorneys, Disciplinary Commission and Proceedings; or
- B. failing to complete the yearly or Educational Period requirements required by Rule 29, Section 10, of the Indiana Rules for Admission to the Bar and the Discipline of Attorneys, Mandatory Continuing Legal Education

will be automatically suspended from practice before this Court without any action by the Court other than written notice to the attorney. Upon receipt of notice that the attorney has been reinstated to the bar of the State of Indiana, the attorney will be automatically reinstated to the bar of this Court.

The above amendments shall be effective January 1, 2001.

Written comments concerning the rule amendment are invited, and must be submitted on or before **January 22, 2001**, to:

Local Rule Comments
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